## House Resolution No. 4153

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives occasionally pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who have retired from the field of education; and

Whereas, the Elsberry R-II School District lost a valuable member of its staff on May 22, 2007, with the retirement of Roberta Lee Hagemeier who devoted numerous years of her life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as a teachers aide; and

Whereas, Roberta Hagemeier served as a teachers aide for twenty years at Elsberry R-II, where she was held in high esteem as an individual who demonstrated considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

Whereas, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Roberta Hagemeier touched the lives of countless youngsters by helping them form a solid educational foundation upon which to build in the future; and

Whereas, Roberta Hagemeier watched her pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge she imparted to them both as a teachers aide and as a friend; and

Whereas, so many young Missourians have left the classrooms of Elsberry R-II fully prepared to face the challenges ahead as a result of the outstanding endeavors of Roberta Hagemeier; and

**Whereas**, a member of the First Christian Church, Roberta Hagemeier has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Norvall Hagemeier; her children and their spouses, Robert and Brenda Hagemeier, Matthew Hagemeier, Scott Hagemeier, Marleen and Steve Frein, and Julie Hagemeier; seven grandchildren; and three step-grandchildren:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join the Elsberry R-II School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Roberta Hagemeier rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing her the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that she so justly deserves; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Roberta Lee Hagemeier, as a measure of the high esteem in which we hold her.

Offered by
Representative Terry L. Witte
District No. 10
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4153, adopted June 28, 2007.
Rod Jetton, Speaker